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In the **PATENT APPLICATION** of:

Foore et al.

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For: DYNAMIC BANDWIDTH

ALLOCATION FOR MULTIPLE

ACCESS COMMUNICATIONS USING

BUFFER URGENCY FACTOR

Group: 2472

Examiner: Afsar M. Qureshi

REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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Sir:

This amendment is being timely filed in response to the Notice of Allowance dated December 29, 2010. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE), Information Disclosure Statement and a substitute specification are filed concurrently herewith.

Please amend the application without prejudice or disclaimer as follows: